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Composed of the Counties of Pasquotank, Perquimans, Camden, Currituck, Dare, Tyrrell, Hyde, Beaufort Washington, Bertie, Hertford, Chowan, Martin, Gates, Northampton and Halifax.

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Judge Circuit and District Courts, George W Brooks, Elizabeth City; Clerk of Circuit Court, N J Riddick, Raleigh; U S Attorney, D H Starbuck, Salem; U S Marshal, S T Carrow, Washington. The Terms of the Circuit Court are as follows:—1st Monday in June, and last Monday in November, at Raleigh. The Terms of the District Court are as follows: Third Monday in April and October, at Elizabeth City; S T Bond, Clerk. Fourth Monday in April and October, at New Bern; Chas Hibbard, Clerk. First Monday after the fourth Monday in April and October, at Wilmington Wm Larkins, Clerk.

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To meet a great public demand, I have completed arrangements that will justify me in saying, I have no competition here in the Coach making business.

Work done better and cheaper than anywhere else in this section. Orders for new work of any class respectfully solicited. Repairing done promptly. Shop on Road street, near the Canal Bridge.

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E. City, July 6th, 1871.-tf.

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Manufacturers of paper, machine made paper bags, and dealers in all descriptions of Paper, Card board, Twines and Ink. 32-1y

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Practical Paper Hanger.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C. May 12, 1870. 1y.

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SMITH AND SHAW,

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Will attend to all matters intrusted to us in the Superior, Supreme and Federal Courts of North Carolina. Collections promptly made. 35-tf.

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May 3, 1870.-1y.

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Collections made in any part of North Carolina. 2-1y.

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GENERAL COLLECTOR,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

Office North side of Main Street.

Jan. 13, 1870-1y.

PROFESSIONAL.—DR. JAS. N. BUTT, Can be found at all hours of the day, at his Drug Store. In consequence of ill health he is engaged almost exclusively in an Office Practice. Those wishing medical attention will find him at home at all hours and avoid the annoyance of hunting a Physician absent on professional duties in the country.

E. City Sept. 15, 1870.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

Being engaged in other business, I desire to restrict my Practice to cases of Consultation, and to a limited extent of special practice.

My charges will be—

For consultation with another Physician, $5 00

" each subsequent consultation, in same case..... 2 50

" examination and prescript'n, from $1 to 5 00

" visit in Eliz. City, and prescription, 1 50

" each subsequent visit, in same case, same day..... 50

" visit in Eliz. City, at night..... 5 00

" visit in country—the first mile..... 2 00

" each after mile, per mile..... 50

" visit one mile in country, at night, or in bad weather..... 6 00

" each after mile, at night, or in bad weather..... 1 00

Prompt settlement required.

W. G. POOL, M. D.

Elizabeth City, July 1, 1869-tf.

DENTISTRY.

The undersigned has opened an office in Elizabeth City, N. C., for the purpose of practicing Dentistry in all its branches.

☞ Office in the North Carolinian building second story, corner Main and Road streets.

I. T. ANDREWS.

May 26, 1870-tf.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY.—Having purchased Winner's Gallery I take this method of announcing to my friends and the public that I will continue the business in all its departments. Having had over a dozen years experience I flatter myself to be able to give full satisfaction. My instruments and material are all of the very best. My sky light is of the latest improved, enabling me to take pictures in cloudy weather as well as clear. All work guaranteed or the picture taken over or the money refunded.

WM. C. DAWSON.

E. City, May 11, 1871.—tf.

HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTING.

The undersigned has resumed the business of House, Sign and Ornamental PAINTER, and respectfully tenders his services to the public in that line of business.

His reputation as a painter is well known in this, and the surrounding counties; and the promptness with which he has heretofore acted, and the faithfulness with which all work entrusted to him has always been done, he hopes will again insure him a liberal patronage.

THOMAS R. BLAND.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Sept. 30, 1869-1y.

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ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

MR. CLARK would announce to the public that he has again re-opened his large establishment at which the following Machinery is Manufactured, Horse Powers, different Sizes and Patterns, Corn Shellers for Hand or Horse Power, Wheat Threshers, different sizes, Corn and Wheat Fans.

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36—1y.

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July 1, 1869.

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ELIZABETH CITY, Feb. 23, 1871-1y.

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☞ Pork Steak, Oysters in all styles. 21—4t.

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July 15, 1869-1y.

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Do a general Banking business,

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Policies effected at lowest rates and in best Companies in the world. 28-tf.

LIVERY STABLES.

JONE'S LIVERY STABLES

At Elizabeth City, N. C.

I would announce to my friends and the public that I am still at the old place on Main street, a few doors west of Road, and keep horses, buggies, carriages, &c., for hire. Persons promptly accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms.

ARTHUR L. JONES.

Mar. 17, 1870.-38—1y.

LIVERY STABLES

AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

The subscriber takes this method of informing his old friends and the public generally that he is still at the "old stand" and continues to keep horses, buggies, carriages &c., for hire. Persons accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms. Remember the place—on Road Street near the canal bridge.

1y C. B. BROTHERS.

Poetry.

The Tear.

There stood a glistening tear
In her blue and sorrowing eye;
Reserved till the time drew near
To say a last good-bye.

No longer the eye could retain
Those signs of grief and love;
They fell—to prevent was vain,
Like showers which come from above.

'Twas pain, yet fraught with pleasure,
Those dear falling tell-tales to see,
Than diamonds, a far better treasure,
Those tears—they were tears shed for me.

Selected Story.

Tom's Wife.

BY LINA MARSHALL.

The snow was falling quickly and gently, covering hill and valley with its pure white mantle, filling window-sills and door steps and softly gathering upon the furs of the rich and the tatters of the poor, as each hastened, in the gathering gloom of evening, along the busy street.

Among the hurrying crowd, strode Emerson Maynard, in no enviable frame of mind. The poor children missed their usual pennies, the news boys found him unmindful of their eloquence, and his observing landlady declared that "Mr. Maynard's manner was so crusty, he must have had a cross." In truth he had; and it can best be explained by peeping over his shoulder, after his room is reached slippers and gown donned and his all-comforting cigar lighted, as he re-reads a few lines written in a dashing, manly hand.

"Dear old Em: Pack up some needfuls, and run down here for the holidays. I have married an angel, and want you to know her.

Yours ever, TOM."

"Humph!" growled Maynard between his teeth. "Married an angel forsooth, and she feeds him on angel diet, no doubt, and ambrosia. A pretty fool Tom has made of himself! Confound her! I can't give Tom up," and in his righteous indignation over went the tongs and shovel, striking his gouty toe, and in no wise increasing his good humor. Having no one near into whose sympathetic ear he could pour his grievances, Mr. Maynard stirred up the coals most wrathfully, sending stray bits of fiery anthratic flying over the rug and lightning up the dingy old bachelor apartment and its ireful occupant. Setting back once more, he continued his agreeable reflection: Married an angel! what a perfect spoon Tom has made of himself, anyhow. I don't imagine *myself* ever so taken in. Bah! An He can't have been married long, else he would have written anything but that. Married! What on earth could have put that abominable notion into his head now? Well—well—shall I go or not? I have no important cases on hand now, and perhaps I can console poor old Tom some, if I go. He shall not be henpecked, no, by jove? I'll go and show his angel that that love don't blind my eyes, and though she has caught him by her cunning woman's wiles, that Tom has a friend left in me."

By this time the gentleman had so worked himself into a passion that it required several quick turns up and down the room to cool it, then hastily dashing off an acceptance of his friend's invitation, Mr. Emerson Maynard donned overcoat and boots, and started off for an evening at the club, there with congenial companions and amusements to forget the wound inflicted by his friend.

Emerson Maynard and Tom Barton, had been college chums for four years, had shared every study, sport and scrape, and since that time had been almost inseparable companions. An aged relative, dying, had left Tom a handsome estate, some distance from the city, and he had found it necessary to spend the greater part of his time in attending to its proper management. Warm hearted and generous to a fault, he was by nature indolent and ease-loving, and after the accession of his estate and its revenues, he took little interest in his law books.

Maynard had sadly missed the sunny tempered Tom, for when he cherished deep in his heart, one of those abiding affections which men sometimes entertain for each other, especially those men whom circumstances or nature have deprived of female influence. An orphan, and without any near connections, Maynard had grown to boy-hood and manhood, associated almost entirely with those of his own sex, and twenty one found him old beyond his years, of a reserved, quiet nature, but with a firm foundation of strict integrity and mastering energy. Graduates at a famous college, he soon gave proof that he would be no disgrace to his *Alma Mater*. His ability was soon recognized and appreciated and ten years after, at the time of which we write, his practice was still increasing and his name honored among his fellow citizens. Acute, far-seeing, yet agreeable and social, he was always a welcome visitor in the sanctums of his friends, but their most cordial invitations to their homes were always quietly ignored or some excuse gently but firmly given. His shyness before the opposite sex became proverbial. Jokes sneers and expostulation only seemed to develop this shyness into positive dislike, and at thirty-one, Emerson Maynard was almost a woman-hater without being able to give a reason for being so. The affection he would have given a mother or sister was lavished on Tom Barton. He had often thought of Tom some day marrying, but when the reality came, the blow was a terrible one. He could only feel that his friend was lost to him forever, that all their familiar companionship was over, and that henceforth his life would be still more lonely than of old. Still he was haunted with the idea that Tom had been inveigled into an alliance with some fortunehunting siren, and with it came the resolve to prove to Tom his entire sympathy and continued affection.

A week from the receipt of the invitation, saw Mr. Emerson Maynard seated in the car that was to bear him within a few miles of his friend's home.

Comfortably seated, with his belongings arranged at his feet, he calmly turned his back to the window and the falling snow, and settled himself for a quiet hour with his "Times." So much interested was he in an account of a stock meeting, of a company in which he had invested to some extent, that he scarcely noticed the entrance of two ladies, and their occupation of the vacant seat immediately behind him. The taller of the two ladies was a brunette of the purest type, while her companion was as true a type of blonde. Chatter, chatter, went the latter's busy little tongue, and soon attracted Maynard's attention in spite of himself. Once, after a suppressed laugh, at the recital of an anecdote, Maynard almost involuntarily glanced backward, and caught the outline of a pure, oval face, and the gleam of two lustrous, dark eyes. It made him a trifle uncomfortable to have those eyes so steadily regarding him. Perhaps some of the laughing and joking was at his expense. He became uneasy and left his seat for a few moments on the platform. He was astonished to find how the storm had increased in a few hours. The flakes came thicker and faster, and the sky offered no promise of the storm soon ceasing. It soon became very evident that the train would necessarily be delayed, as already the wheels of the heavy cars, clogged with the snow, began to grow wearily. Maynard returned to his place inside, feeling terribly out of humor with the weather and not a little vexed with his fair neighbors, though why he should have any feeling of resentment toward two happy girls, trying to pass a long, gloomy day, in the happiest possible manner, he could scarcely have explained.

Once more disposing his six feet of manhood in a comfortable manner and, drawing his overcoat still more closely about him, he settled himself for reflection. Of course his coming visit occupied his thoughts, and tended in no way to lessen his ill-humor. He insisted on picturing Tom a martyr, and perfectly extinguished in the glare of his wife's audacity and vainly sighing after the lost Eden of Bachelordom.

Finding little relief in such pleasant reflection, he glanced about him to find something else to occupy his attention. He certainly found it. The two seats opposite his were occupied by a rotund Irish woman and her five irrepressible urchins. Master Teddy, of an enterprising mind, had been investigating the valise and parcels belonging to Mr. Maynard, during his absence, and had quietly appropriated the box containing that gentleman's immaculate beaver. Maynard, had not noticed the loss until he beheld Master Teddy's burly little figure squeezed into the top of the box in evident enjoyment of his novel seat. Really exasperated, Maynard quietly, though not very gently, relieved the young gentleman from his position, but alas! the beaver was a wreck. The brim turned down where it originally aspired and the crown was hopelessly ventilated. Glancing at it a moment, he walked to the door, and deposited it in the snow, much to the chagrin of Teddy, who wrathfully regarded his movements, and finally expressed his feelings in a very audible manner.

The whole affair was so perfectly absurd that Maynard could not have restrained a hearty laugh at any one else's expense, but he felt mortified and vexed to no small degree when he glanced at the two ladies and saw their vain attempt to restrain their amusement.

Master Teddy had taken refuge in the capacious lap of his sturdy mother, who, wrapped up in her attentions to her youngest "darlint," had not observed the young hopeful's peregrinations. She was profuse in her apologies to Mr. Maynard, but he quickly took another stroll out to the platform to cool his flushed face, and keep back any unwise words, already on his lips.

The storm, instead of ceasing, seemed to steadily become denser and absolutely blinding, and before he reentered the car, the great wheels had refused to obey the call of the engine, and the long train stood still.

Arrangements were made as speedily as possible, for telegraphing for a snow plough. The situation was really a very gloomy one, and as Maynard returned to his seat, his feeling of resentment was almost forgotten in one of pity, for the helpless women and children who would probably soon suffer with both cold and hunger.

"Please, sir, do you think we will be obliged to spend night here?" inquired the little blonde behind him, in a low, silvery voice.

"No doubt, Miss from present appearances," shortly, although courteously, answered Maynard; and for fear of further conversation, diligently applied himself to his Times,—upside down. Abandoning that improving way of spending the time, he closed his eyes with the intention of forgetting married friends, meddlesome children and pert misses, in comfortable sleep. His laudable design was suddenly dissipated by a strange sensation at his ear, and on staring around, what was his consternation at seeing a long, glossy ringlet lying over his shoulder. His sprightly little neighbor had fallen asleep with her head on the back of the seat, and a gust of wind caused by the quick opening and closing of the door, had blown the tress into its present position. Gracious! what was he to do! It was so ridiculous. He felt an entirely new sensation.

Never before, in his remembrance, had he been placed in such an awkward position. To lift it and remove it, might waken the fair sleeper, who would quickly resent any such supposed familiarity, and he *could* not allow it to remain. How Tom or some of his jovial club companions, would forever joke him, could they see his absurd position. He feared to move lest he should disturb the fair sleeper, and stealthily glanced at the shining curl resting so contentedly on his coat. It was beautiful, certain, of a bright lustrous golden brown, he caught himself thinking—but pshaw! No doubt there were plenty more like it, at the hair dresser's where she no doubt, purchased this one.

The dark eyed lady seemed absorbed in her book, but any moment she might raise her eyes and see the ringlet floating over his sleeve. A woman's hair! Glancing at it he felt a strong temptation to touch it, it seemed so soft and silky. Fortunately, before he had committed any impropriety, the young lady awoke, and noticing the unruly ringlet, quickly withdrew her head, but so hastily that the glossy intruder wound itself around the lapel of his coat, and required some little care to remove it. It was a most embarrassing operation, and the little lady blushingly apologized for her carelessness. To cover his confusion, Maynard only stupidly bowed and turned his attention to his little Irish neighbors, who were crying with the increasing cold. Naturally of a kind, humane disposition Maynard's heart was touched with pity, and forgetting Master Teddy's misdemeanor, he, with one of his rare, bright smiles, urged him and little Paddy to the back of the car, and there, in an unoccupied seat, snugly covered them with his own warm overcoat. The generous action was not unobserved by the two young ladies.

Finding his eyes straying to the golden head in front, and inwardly calling himself a fool, he took himself off to the smoking room, and submitted to the consoling influence of a fragrant Havana.

Several hours passed, and at length assistance arrived, and soon the great train was making progress through the enormous drifts, aided by the almost invaluable snow plow. The detention had been of some four hours duration, and when they reached the depot of N——, although the storm had ceased, the skies were leaden, and the sun long gone down. Maynard had not returned to the car in which were his traveling companions, until the train stopped at N——, and then, hurrying in and gathering up his valise and packages and donning his overcoat, deserted by the impatient little boys, he was surprised, and a trifle disappointed to find the young ladies gone.

Being quite an important way-station, there was more or less confusion on the platform, and it was not until the engine slowly drew the train away, that Maynard attempted to look out for his friend Tom. His search was soon rewarded, for he soon spied Tom, by the dim, flickering lights, evidently searching for him, and in a moment more the friends were warmly greeting each other.

"Pretty tough weather, this, old fellow, Come along this way. My team has been waiting for hours. I have men engaged to break the road before us, so we won't have any trouble in getting to Beachland. By the way, Em, you were travelling companion with my wife and sister coming down. Wish I had known soon enough to have written you, and you might have gotten acquainted beforehand. No matter, though, plenty of time yet. Here is the carriage. The ladies are already inside. Gay, May, this is my dearest friend, Mr. Maynard, and the best fellow in the world;" and poor Maynard found himself seated opposite the dark eyed and sunny haired ladies of the day's travel. Immediately remembering his mishaps in the car, and his utter neglect of gentlemanly attentions to them during the journey, his vexation and embarrassment increased two-fold. Fortunately, the gloom of the night and Tom's sprightly conversation with the ladies, prevented his conduct being very closely noted, and soon the cheerful lights of Beachland shone out over the snow, and before many moments more, all were gathered around glowing fires, in the comfortable chamber of the hospitable old mansion.

Tom soon followed his friend to his apartment and in his hearty cordiality and flowing humor, Maynard recognized his beloved friend Tom, the same mirth-provoking, care-dispelling friend as of old. For a short time, in Tom's jovial conversation, he entirely forgot the main object for which he had so generously come to Beachfield—to sympathize and assist Tom in his entanglement of marriage. He was reminded of it, however, by his friends saying "Gay told me of your generous act to those little Irish urchins. Just like you, old fellow." Maynard colored violently, wondering how much more Gay had seen fit to disclose. Evidently nothing that Tom intended relating, for he continued:

"What a deuced pity that you and the ladies did not get acquainted. You might have passed the time so pleasantly. Gay and May were schoolmates, and my wife was up on a little visit to my sister and she has come along back to stay several months. It was so good in you to come, Em. Gay has heard so much about you, that she was dying to see you! Don't you think she is beautiful?" and Tom's dark eyes flashed proudly.

"Well, Tom," replied his friend, "you know I am not much of a judge of female beauty. In fact, Tom—I don't like women any better than formerly. It seems to me, they are always getting some poor fellow into a confounded scrape and then making fun of him afterward."

Going up to Barton, he placed his hand on his shoulder and earnestly asked.

"Tom, dear friend, are you happy?"

Peal after peal of laughter resounded from the throat of Barton. Then grasping Maynard's he exclaimed:

"Oh, Em, for all the world like yourself. I know what you are imagining this very moment, that I am a martyr to circumstances. All I say is—bless the circumstances. There goes the bell for dinner. If you are ready we will go right down," and Tom kept smiling all the way down, while Maynard drew himself virtuously up, feeling a trifle astonished at Tom's odd behavior.

They found the ladies already in the elegant dining room, and very delightful everything looked—the glowing fire, the bright lights, most delicate China and heavy silver, and the two charmingly dressed women who to smilingly greeted them. A vision crossed Maynard's mind of his lonely house and boarding house meals, but it was soon driven away by the gaity of the ladies, who, by their conversation and easy manners, succeeded in drawing Maynard out, causing him to forget himself and be, only—natural.

When the repast was ended, and the party arose to proceed to the drawing-room, Maynard was a little perplexed. He had only been introduced to the ladies as Gay and May, and he had been unable to detect by their manners, which lady was Miss and which Madame. The beautiful, dark-eyed lady stood beside him, and, merely on a venture, he addressed her as Miss Barton. None of the party made any objections, and he congratulated himself on his good luck.

The evening was passed with music and agreeable conversation, and that night, when Emerson Maynard, in his methodical way, thought over the events of the day and evening, he was forced to confess there were two women in the world with whom he might be able to mingle, on friendly terms, and if all women, on acquaintance, proved as charming, that his estimate of the female sex had been an unjust one. Miss Barton was so elegant, graceful and intelligent, and so loving to Tom, anticipating all his wants, while his little blue-eyed wife, with her merry laugh and charming conversation, vied only with Tom in being the life of the company.

Days passed and every night Mr. Emerson Maynard's ruminations were something after the above order, only somewhat intensified as days grew into weeks, until three had glided by. The time had been all too short for the drives, rides, parties and festivities which crowded each day.

Business of an urgent character called Maynard back to the city, and on the morrow he would start. The day had been a stormy one, and the four friends had spent it together in one of the pleasant parlors of Beachland. Only too swiftly had it passed, and how the evening shadows were fast drawing on. Maynard was pacing up and down one of the piazzas, regreting the necessity of his departure on the morrow, and dwelling on the pleasant associations of the preceding weeks. His mind was much disturbed, for he had made a most alarming discovery. Yes—he, Emerson Maynard, a critic and hater of women—he was undeniably in love. It may not be considered strange, remembering his almost total exclusion from female society all his life, that constant contact with two beautiful, accomplished ladies, surrounded by everything to assist them in pleasing, should make a lasting impression upon a man whose whole existence was such a contrast to the charming days just passed. That was not the alarming part. Despite his self-condemnation, he knew himself to be deeply in love with his trusting *friend's wife.*

Both ladies had been equally kind, equally anxious, in every way, to make his visit a pleasant one; but he discovered, when the parting drew so near, that the merry tones of the blue-eyed, little child-wife awoke a deeper feeling in his heart than he had imagined slumbered there. Yes, Tom's wife! The one he had come to rescue his friend from! What a position! Smother all this he must, and on the morrow he would hasten back to the city, and in his musty, old rooms forget his little romance—his first and last. None should ever imagine him other than they had always known him, and his secret would be buried with him. With these and other self-sacrificing thoughts, he paced up and down for a long time, forgetful of the lateness of the hour and the chill of the winter night. He was aroused from his painful meditation by the cheery voice of Tom, calling him into the warm glow of the Library fire.

"Sit down here Em, where I can enjoy fully the sight of your dear old face. Confound it, why must you leave to-morrow? To be sure business is business, and I am too deuced lazy to want any on my hands, but then a fellow must have a little play spell. Don't leave in the morning, Em, don't;" and Tom Barton's kind, generous face fully echoed his words.

"I wish it were possible for me to stay, Tom, indeed I do. I have enjoyed the past three weeks more than all the long, dreary years of my life. I am free to confess, the old, bare walls of my office will look more desolate, and my old bachelor den seem more uninviting, than I ever dreamed they could. In the sociability of your home, I have learned of a new life;" and the lonely tone in which these words were spoken, smote upon his friend's ear.

"Tom," he continued, with an effort, "I have a confession to make, and you, who know me, will understand how hard it is for me to speak in this way of myself: I am not the same man who entered your hospitable house, three weeks ago. Tom, old friend, you know my bare, barren life, but I never realized what it was until these past weeks. I came here a woman hater, with neither charity for their frailties nor admiration for their virtues. Constant association with your sister and wife, have so completely changed all my notions that I feel like a different man."

Here Tom grasped Maynard's hand.

"Glad to hear it, Em; 'pon my word I am. Who would have thought you willing to own up so handsomely?"

"Yes, but Tom, I *am* going to own up. You don't know all yet."

"All right. Perhaps when you are through I shall have some confessing to do, too. I'll engage to shrive you, old fellow, if you'll promise the same for me. My conscience don't rest easy."

"I am in earnest, Tom," continued Maynard, in a serious tone, and taking several strides across the floor. Stopping before the glowing fire and facing his friend, desperately confused:

"I am in love."

"Good gracious! Give us your hand. Why you sly old fox, who would have dreamed it from your actions? Can I believe my senses?"

"Don't Tom, don't, until you hear the whole story. I am in love with a pure being who is in no wise responsible for my insane passion. She is beneath your roof—Tom, it is your wife;" and the poor fellow covered his face with both hands and sank into a chair, expecting to hear himself condemned without mercy, by his injured friend.

"The deuce it is!" and Tom's merry laugh rang through the room, long, loud and clear.

Maynard gazed at him in profound astonishment. Tom's merriment nonplussed him. It had cost him a terrible effort to make this confession, for he was by nature, proud and reticent, and his whole life had but conduced to the same end. Yet he felt that honor demanded a confession to his wronged friend. He would tell him the exact truth and there leave him, return to his dreary city lodgings and plunge more deeply into business. After a while death would take him away, and while he had had none to cheer him in life, few would be called upon to mourn his death. Perhaps then, Tom would have forgiven him and would bring his lovely, innocent wife to drop a tear above his grave. Having indulged rather freely in these reflections, he was astonished to see Tom's handsome face turned toward him all flushed with merriment and affection.

"Em, you are a brick," then he continued more seriously.

"Indeed, I appreciate your conduct more than I can tell you, Em; you are honest to the back-bone, and now that your fearful ingratitude to your host has been revealed, I must likewise make a little confession. Dear old boy, you have been subjected to a little practical joke. It was all my fault. The evening you first came, you mistook Gay for sister May. The names being so nearly alike, they did not notice your mistake, but I did. Knowing full well your dislike of womenkind, I desired you to learn how absurd your notions were, and thought to allow May to win your heart, even though you imagined her the wife of another. The ladies know nothing of my plan and only reluctantly agreed to assist me in deceiving you, for a reason of my own, I told them. There, old fellow, am I forgiven?" and he reached out his hand to Maynard, who, in the excess of his happiness, grasped it in both his own and shook it convulsively.

"I *have* some objections, Em, to your falling in love with my wife, though it would delight me more than I can express to give you my sister. She is a precious charge, but most cheerfully would I resign her to you."

The friends, more closely bound than ever, continued their conversation far into the "wee sma' hours" and the next morning Mr. Emerson Maynard did not return to his city lodgings and business. Another week passed by and still he lingered. When he did return, his city companions could but remark a different in him. A certain manly air that was now, a kind of self-knowledge displayed itself in his conversation, and in the discussions over the follies of the day. When the frailties of the opposite sex were so freely touched upon, his tongue no longer uttered the most bitter sarcasm as of yore. On one occasion he reproved a fellow club member for an expression similar to many he himself had uttered. He said,

"Jones, you would take every word of that back, did you love a true, pure woman."

His friends understood it all, however when they received invitations to a grand reception, in the following autumn, and congratulated Mr. Emerson Maynard and his beautiful, sunny haired bride. He has long since confessed his indiscretion over Tom's marriage, and blesses the occasion that caused him to make the trip that stormy day, to console his friend and annihilate, "Tom's wife."

ANNUAL MESSAGE

OF THE GOVERNOR

HON. TOD R. CALDWELL.

To the Honorable, the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina:

By the Constitution of our our State the

with the same exactions, such recovery will be utterly impracticable. Officers could not be found to enforce the process of the courts, and even if enforced, the recovery would be valueless. Not only in America, but in despotic countries, the *settled will of the people* will always prevail against the theories and technicalities of law, however supported by precedent—just as in the late war we found the courts always deciding staylaws to be unconstitutional, yet the people, through the Legislature, in defiance of the courts, managed to stay the collection of debts.

The only remedy which the public creditor can possibly make available, as to the legality of which I express no opinion, is the enforcement, through the courts, of the provisions of such charters of the various Railroad Companies in which the State owns stock as subject the stock held by the State, and all dividends thereon to the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds issued for the benefit of such companies. In the case of the North Carolina Railroad Company, the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of North Carolina, has already decided to subject the dividends declared by the Company on the stock belonging to the State, to the payment of interest on the bonds of the State issued for the benefit of that corporation. It is said to be in contemplation to ask the court to order a sale of stock held by the State sufficient to reimburse to the bondholders the dividends heretofore paid into the Public Treasury. I respectfully suggest to the General Assembly whether it is not proper to order a sale of all the stocks owned by the State, to be paid for in the securities for which such stocks were originally pledged. Such a course would reduce the debt of the State to a large extent and seems to be demanded by the terms of the contract with the public creditor.

The last question is, what shall be done with the public debt, supposing that the State *cannot*, or *will not*, pay the interest now, and will not give any assurance of paying the same within a reasonable time? Several schemes are suggested in this regard. Some say, "Let matters remain as they are—make no provision for paying interest—make no effort for a reasonable settlement—pass no act of partial reputation—let the future take care of itself." If this plan be adopted, certainly interest will accumulate so rapidly that the very magnitude of the debt will lend to total repudiation eventually. I think this plan neither honest, nor manly, nor wise.

Another plan is to pay two per cent. interest the first year on the whole debt after the just and true amount shall have been ascertained; three per cent. the next year; four per cent. the third year; five per cent. in 1875 and so on in regular progression, so as to make an average of six per cent. in the whole. Such a scheme was adopted in Missouri since the war. This plan could not be successful or expedient, except in a State rapidly increasing in population and wealth. The annual payments would soon become so large that they would be intolerable, unless the taxable property should correspondingly increase. It is also liable to the objections that it is complicated and cumbrous, and that it is a mere *speculation* on the supposed events of the future.

A third plan is to assure the public creditor that the State is at present unable to pay interest on its debt—that it acknowledges the binding force of the debt—that it desires to fulfil all its just obligations, and will do so at the earliest time possible; but that it is a matter of uncertainty when that time will arrive. The people can pay something at present, possibly they may be able to pay a larger proportion hereafter—whether they can or not is one of the uncertainties of the future. Hence according to this plan we may offer the following proposition: Let the State create a new debt, issue new bonds bearing three per cent. interest, payable in specie, with a tax imposed in the act, sufficient to raise funds to pay such interest—then make it optional with the bond-holders to exchange their old bonds for the new issue or await the chances of such improvement in the condition of the State as will secure to them payment of their claims in full. I suggest, without making any recommendation either pro or con, that it might be provided that in lieu of $1,000 bonds bearing three per cent. interest, $500 bonds bearing six per cent. interest might be given in exchange for each $1,000 bond held by him.

In my opinion the people can bear the burden of such a settlement, and those bondholders who do not think they have a specific lien on valuable stocks owned by the State (*e. g.* those of the North Carolina Railroad Company,) would be willing to accept one proposal or the other. Of course it will be entirely optional with the creditor whether he will accept either proposition, or await future developments. By pursuing this course the General Assembly would merely acknowledged frankly a palpable truth; they would offer the best, which in the judgment of many the people can do at present, and they would refrain from a reputation of their contracts.

But whichsoever course the General Assembly may see fit to adopt, I think it absolutely essential that a commission shall be constituted, in whom the public have confidence, to ascertain and report all facts connected with the public debt, so that some definite conclusion may be reached by the Legislature as to the true, legal, equitable liabilities of the State. This commission should likewise ascertain from the creditors their views as to what final and honorable settlement can be made of their claims. Considering the enormous losses of the State in able bodied men slain or disabled—in the sudden overturning of the system of labor—in the distruction of property—in the insolvency of all its banks, and the loss of their circulating medium—in the ruin of crops by various causes—in the want of good faith of some of her agents, and in fine in the countless losses and disasters of a people conquered after a long and desperate war, the creditors ought to be reasonable and willing to compromise; and certainly it is not unmanly in our people frankly to confess the facts of their condition—the results of their fruitless struggle.

The above observations are made, because I feel painfully anxious on account of the condition of our public debt. Repudiation of our contracts in any shape, would leave such a stain on our conscience and our honor, would bring such disgrace and, directly and indirectly, inflict such an injury on our people, collectively and individually, that I have felt it my duty to state all the difficulties of the financial situation with the utmost frankness in order to show the necessity for prompt action. Let us ascertain the full extent of our obligations, and then manfully address ourselves to the task of fulfilling them in the most practicable manner which will commend itself to the wisdom and good sense, and integrity of the people of the State. If the General Assembly shall see fit to authorize the appointment of a commission as above suggested, it may be advisable to defer maturing any financial plan until their report shall be presented—and perhaps by that time such renewed prosperity may, in the Providence of God, be vouchsafed to us as will demonstrate our ability to meet all just demands.

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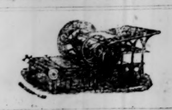

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A FEW THINGS NOT GENERALLY THOUGHT OF.

Human nature is very much alike the world over. Humanity is ease-loving in its tendencies. It desires the fruits of intense labor; it enjoys the results of careful and long continued pains taking, but it does not relish the extreme effort necessary to secure the fruit, nor the laborious course of preparatory discipline demanded to insure the result. This is true of all trades, of all professions, of avocations in life. The merchant and the mechanic, equally with the lawyer and the doctor, are pleased with success in their business: the farmer and the artizan, the teacher and the professor, are, indeed, gratified with the full sunshine of prosperity; but they like to have it come without any particular trouble to themselves. They like the passage which says: "For the earth always bringeth forth fruit of her self; first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear." When you whisper to them the saying of the wise man, that "The soul of the *diligent* shall be made fat," they will nullify its application by reference to its metaphysical character. A large proportion of the human family adopt as their motto, "the world owes me a living," and sink into dissipated idlers. Too few regard toil as the natural condition of man, quietly and systematically toiling on from year to year.

Again: humanity is short sighted. This makes it hasty in its conclusion, especially when coupled with a slight smirk of egotism, which may be seen flitting across its face almost any day. The clearest conceptions which we possess are generally those nearest their antecedents. Distant conclusions are but tardily arrived at, and dimly conceived at best. That which requires years to unfold, will clearly be comprehended by but few minds, and those of very best material. It took the world five and a half thousand years to reach from the falling of an apple to the stability of the physical universe; and the relation between the two, to-day, is only understood by some philosophically inclined.

But not only is humanity short sighted; it is also impracticable and ignorant. As too general a rule it will not see truth when thrust upon its attention. Especially is this so when we go into the metaphysical realm of knowledge. We are "ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth."

We grope about amid the stern realities of mind, as if they were but dreams, or intangible vagaries;—we deal with the expanding intellect or conscience as though it were a ghostly occupant of the brain of an ephemsia, and with the will as though it were too aerial for human thought. This makes us impracticable and foolish, often to the last degree.

Humanity is moreover, extremely selfish. Preconceived notions are almost omnipotent with us. Our prepossessions are *all* in favor of what we now see, and feel, and know.

That humanity is imperfect—possessing frailties, foibles, and weaknesses—is a generally conceded fact, but the qualities and tendencies to which we have above alluded is not so generally thought of or admitted. Their existence, however, cannot be denied. We have called attention to them for a purpose. Let our readers *think* over the subject, and ere long we will prepare another article for which we intend this is the introduction.

Dr. JOHN told no lies, nor did he have a single error in orthography or punctuation inside of the last *North Carolinian* that reached us. It was clean white paper.—*Williamsport Pa., Bulletin.*

We never like to be under too many obligations, hence we generally give back as good as we get. The week previous having received a copy of the *Bulletin*, the inside of which was without blur or blemish—never having touched the forms—thus saving us a half an hour's valuable time from reading vapid editorials or dull selections, we felt in duty bound to return *our* sheet as faultless in every respect.

The editor of the Raleigh *Sentinel* has been bold and impudent during the past two years in charges of fraud and corruption against others. Those not acquainted with him would have been led to suppose him to be a very pink of integrity and honesty. The last Legislature gave him the control of the public printing. It is charged that by a wrong measurement of matter he has *charged and received pay for from three to five thousand dollars* more than he was justly or legally entitled to!

The United States Circuit Court opened at Raleigh on Monday. We learn that there appears on the docket of the Court for trial at this term the following cases, viz:

Criminal docket, 171; comprising 710 individuals charged with Ku Kluxing. Civil docket, 123. Libel docket, 112. Equity docket, 23.

INCONSISTENT.

The majority of the present leaders of the Democratic party seem to think that the Government has power to protect the American citizen in every country but his own. When any American citizen is insulted or molested in any foreign country these politicians are loud in demands for vigorous action on the part of the Government; but when it exercises its authority and power to protect the weak and defenseless at home they begin to protest about the "unconstitutionality" of its doing so. Now we hold that this Government has the power to protect an American citizen wherever our flag floats, at home or abroad. Protection to life, liberty and property is the highest exercise of sovereignty, and the Government that has not got that power is not worthy of being called a Government.

ONE OF OUR GREAT WANTS.

One of North Carolina's great wants is POPULATION. She invites, nay welcomes immigration from the North—men of energy; men who know *how* to work and who are *willing* to do it. Here is a soil and a climate fertile and genial. Here is a chance for Northern men with limited means who know how to farm, how to economise and how to utilize the resources surrounding them,—here is a chance we say for all such to better their condition. They need not fear the climate. It is midway between the extremes of heat and cold. And as for the health, it compares favorably with any other country. Indeed as to the question whether the Northerner can live here—safely, it has been settled. There are already over three hundred Northern immigrants located here—many of them having lived here two and three years. They have enjoyed, on an average, as good health as they did at the North.

One of the very best papers received at this office is the Washington *Chronicle*. It is a live, spicy, progressive *news* paper, filled each day with an epitome of the whole worlds news. Its editorials are vigorous and pointed, never dull, but in tone, spirit and force fully up to the stirring times in which we live. They meet the questions of the hour face to face.

The Raleigh *Carolinian* is published daily, tri-weekly and weekly. Terms $10. 85. and $2. a year. From it may be obtained a full report of the proceedings of the Legislature as well as the latest and earliest telegraph news from all parts of the world.

We have received the first number of *The New North State* a sprightly Republican paper just started at Greensboro, this State. It proposes to deal with the questions of the hour, leaving the *old* and addressing itself to building up and advancing the *new*. May success attend its efforts.

We see that Mr. F. N. STRUDWICK the great Impeacher is now figuring as a Repudiator, having introduced a resolution into the Legislature recommending the repudiation of the entire debt of the State. By the way this same man stands charged as being one of the Ku Klux leaders in this State.

It is to labor, and to labor only, that man owes everything possessed of exchangeable value. Labor is the talisman that has raised him from the condition of the savage; that has changed the desert and the forest into cultivated fields; that has covered the earth with cities, and the ocean with ships; that has given us plenty, comfort and elegance, instead of want, misery, and barbarism.

Correspondence.

A Rejoinder.

OFFICE OF THE DISMAL SWAMP STEAM TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.
Norfolk Va., November 19th, 1871.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

Under the caption of "A Cause for Complaint" I observe some severe strictures on our Company, by "A Friend of Immigration" which is endorsed by yourself, in your last issue of the NORTH CAROLINIAN.

Corporations are said to have no soul. Common carriers certainly have no rights, at least that the public are expected to respect, or evidence any heart of sympathy with. I am sure the complainant must be a stranger or he would be better posted. To be witty, he has drawn upon his imagination. The public can determin whether you have only *one* Boat a week from and to E. City. When he complains of speed, he should recollect that the law regulating canal navigation restricts us to four miles an hour, and this portion of the navigation is more than half the distanee to be traveled. His complaint should be against the author of nature for not providing an open river communication, which we could traverse with our steamers (were it so) in four hours from Norfolk to E. City. Restrictions are usual upon all canal routes, and this being the only avenue of communication by water, (save by the way of Hatteras) may be one of the difficulties in the way of Immigration.

Refering to the particulars in the bill of complaint the "Stmr. Washington." This is the last boat, of the last failure, the third I think, of those who considered themselves live people, to keep up steam communication between the two places. Some three years ago, three or four live people of your city found one live man in Norfolk and the steamer "Elizabeth City" (which was ignored by "A Friend of Immigration") was built especially for the route. At a later day, the "Thomas Jefferson" was added to the line, and the writer of this does not hesitate to say, that for the navigation, better accomodation and better fare is not given on any line in the United States, and he is not aware of any other line, by sea or land, where ten hour's travel is afforded for Two Dollars, nor where greater efforts are made to cater for the public accommodation. For two years and more, at the risk of life and money, we ran these boats through a work (then undergoing repairs) breaking propellers, and rudders, and subjecting us to great loss, and consequent detention. The recent Acts of Congress, made presumable in the interest of Travelers, in connection with the necessity of preparing the "Jefferson" for the ice this winter, and the better to insure safety and comfort to our passengers, compelled us to withdraw her for a short time. She will resume her place next week. We expect to continue (as at present) daily from E. City, with the exception of Monday, and daily from Norfolk with the exception of Saturday.

Respectfully,
WM. B. RODGERS,
President D. S. S. T. Co.

A Card from Capt. Harney.

Elizabeth City, Nov. 23, 1871.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

As my name appears in to-day's issue of your paper, being nominated by "the people," for the Presidency of the D. S. S. T. Co., let me ask of you to state in your next publication, that I believe the great majority of the *Stockholders* of said company are well pleased with their present incumbent Col. Wm. B. Rodgers. But if they or any of them are of "the *people* here" who are so much troubled about the "suffering of business, immigration, improvements, &c., of this place," and especially concerned about the management of the D, S. S. T. Co., let me inform them that they will at the annual meeting of Stockholders have an opportunity to elect some other President if they so desire. If your complainers are not of *us*, surely outsiders should be content with our choice of officers. It will be ample time for *us* to nominate candidates for our company at our annual meeting. As for me, I do not aspire to the Presidency; and will be well pleased to hold my present position.

Respectfully,
W. A. HARNEY.

The Legislature.

On the 20th, the Senate met at 12 M. Twenty six Senators answered the roll. Mr. Robbins, of Rowan, moved that a message be sent to the house proposing to raise a Joiut Committee of fifteen on Constitutional Amendments—nine on the part of the House and six on the part of the Senate Carried.———In the House 58 members answered to the roll. There not being quorum present no business was transacted.

On the 21st, in the Senate various bills were introduced and referred. A message was received from the House of Representatives, concurring in Senate propositiou to raise a joint committee of fifteen on Constitutional Amendments; that Messrs.. Johnston, of Buncombe Gregory, Hargrove, Sparrow, Stanford Luckey, Phillips, Broadfoot and Guy ther constitute House branch of said committee. The President appointed Messrs Robins, of Rowan, Gilmer, Merrimon, Murphy, Lehman and Olds, as Senate branch of said Committee. The two bills proposing amendments to the Constution, were taken up and referred to Joint Committee on Constitutional Amendments.———In the House 86 members responded to the roll call. Various bills and resolutions were introduced and referred—one requesting Hon. Z. B. Vance, U. S. Senator elect, to return his credentials in time to enable the Legislature to elect a Senator.

On the 22d in the Senate the Governor's Message was read. Several bills introduced and referred.———In the House Mr. Strudwtek introduced a resolution in reference to the State debt, instructing the Judiciary Committe to prepare and report a bill looking to the repudiation of certain bonds. Referred. Mr. Justice introduced a resolution to raise a joint committee to investigate the public printing. Calendar. The speaker appointed the following gentlemen as the House branch of the select joint committee on fraud and corruption in public printing: Messrs, Jones, of Caldwell, Justice and Martin.

On the 23rd in the Senate Mr. Graham of Orange, presented a petition of H. C. P. Wilson, of Baltimore, Maryland. The petitioner represented that he had purchased a large amount of North Carolina bonds during the war. That his means of living are now scanty, and he proposes to compromise with the State at the following rates: Old bonds at 60 cents; and New at 40c in the dollar. Referred to Committe on Finance, with Instructionto report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Gilmer introduced the following resolution:—

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be instructed to ascertain and report, at as early a day as practicable, an accurate and detailed statement of the public debt, and its accrued interest to the first day of July, 1871, showing the date of issue of Bonds, under what authority issued, and the purposes for which issued, in classes; the amount of unfunded interest, and the sum necessary to be raised and expended by the State, in the event of a payment of the interest which falls due on the first day of January, April, July and October, 1872; and whether and how the same are secured otherwise than by the faith of the State. After lengthy discussion it was adopted.———In the House Mr. Mabson, (col.) presented a petition from the citizens of New Hanover: asking for the expulsion of H. C. Jones State Senator, Lee McAafee and F. F. Strudwick, Representative in the Legislature of North Carolina and other members and officers of the State Legislature who are members and leaders among the Ku Klux. This provoked a bitter discussion after which the petition was rejected. A resolution was introduced asking Hon. Z. B. Vance to resign his commission as U. S. Senator in time to allow the General Assembly to elect another Senator. Referred

On the 24th in the Senate a number of bills reported and referred. The bill to require the Commissioners appointed to settle the affairs of the Western Division of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company, to make reports, was taken up and passed. A resolution proposing to raise a Joint Standing Committee on Immigration was passed. In compliance with a message from the House asking for a committeee of Immigration on changes againrt the Public Printer, the President appointed Messrs. Worth and Hawkins as Senate branch of the committee.——In the House Mr. Guyther presented a petition, in reference to the Ku Klux Klan which was rejected. Mr. Dardin's bill to authorize the Commissioners of Perquimans county to issue bond ($5000) for the purpose of funding and paying of the county debt, was taken up and passed its third reading.

On the 25th in the Senate Mr. Merrimon introduced a bill to "Commute, compound, and adjust the State debt." Quite a number of bills were introduced and referred.———In the House various bills introduced.

The Rutherd *Star* of the 11th says: Several disgusted Ku Klux have made statements this week, of their connection with the order, and ask to be excused. One man swears that he was sworn in by a Methodist circuit rider who told him, that R. A. Shotwell, was chief of Rutherford county; Plato Durham, chief of Cleveland; J. Banks Lyies, chief of Spartanburg county, South Carolina: Josiah Turner, Grand chief of North Carolina; Gen. N. B. Forrest, Grand Cyclops of the Southern States, and Gen. Frank Blair, Grand Cyclops of the United States.

The North Carolina Baptist State Convention met in Charlotte on the 8th inst. The Rev. Dr. Brooks, of Wake Forest, was reelected President and presided. The following are the other officers elected; viz: 1st Vice.Presidegt, Haynes Lennon; 2d. William Turner; 3d, N. A. Purefoy; Recording Secretary, N. B. Cobb; Assistant N. B. Broughton. About twenty different associations reported delegates in attendance on the first day.

The Great North-West Fire.—An Examination of its Causes and Extent—Why so Many Entire Families Were Swept Away—The Urgent Needs of Wisconsin.

The story of the Wisconsin fires has never yet been told, and, from the suddenness of the calamity and the intensity of the clouds of fire, its fuller extent can never be known. From [illegible] J. Harris, chief messenger of the House of Representatives, who was an eye-witness of the fury of the flames on the fatal Sunday night of the 8th of October, and who has just returned from Green Bay, Wis., we are enabled to give the public a statement of the number of the families who were wholly swept away in that terrible holocaust of fire.

In the towns of Brussell, Union, Naseawaupee, and Gardner, in Door County, on the east shore of Green Bay, six families, numbering forty persons, were burned to death; also thirteen other families, of from two to four in each family. In these four towns in Door County, the total is 117 persons burned to death, beside a large number severely and slightly burned, and there are 167 families rendered homeless, with loss of all they possessed.

In the town of Peshtigo, in Oconto County, on the west shore of Green Bay, twenty-five families, numbering 157 persons, were burnt to death; also forty-six other families, of from two to four in each family. At Peshtigo, including the upper, middle and lower Sugar Bush farming settlements, the number of bodies identified and buried was, at the last account, 530, while the number of bodies reduced to ashes by the intense heat can never be known, and the destitute persons number over 1,200 souls.

The foregoing statements apply only to Door and Oconto Counties, and do not include the destruction of life and property in Kewaunee and Brown Counties, from which only partial lists of the losses have as yet been gathered up; but the loss of life there is said to exceed 100, and there must be many hundreds of destitute persons to provide for.

Many persons express surprise that so many human beings perished in the flames, and ask: "Why could they not escape?" Mr. Harris, who resides in that part of Wisconsin swept by the fire, explains this by showing on the map that the Sugar Bush settlements were the greatest loss of life occurred, were located in the dense forests, entirely surrounded by timber of large growth, and are situate from three to five miles away from the Peshtigo River, which was the only chance for escape. The fiery tornado came upon these people with such fury, and so suddenly, that there was no escape, and this fact accounts for so many families being swept away. The same holds good of the frightful loss of life at Williamson's Mill, in the town of Gardner, in Door County, near Sturgeon Bay, where the saw-mill and other buildings, with about seventy men, women and children, were located in the woods, surrounded by the dense hemlock forest, through which there was but one road, and that choked up with *debris* from the shingle-mill of the most combustible kind, leaving no chance for escape when the tornado struck them, as is shown by the horrible fact that, of the seventy persons hemmed in there by walls of fire, sixty-one, including the Williamson family, were burned to death. The village of Peshtigo being built on both sides of the Peshtigo River, the latter afforded means of escape to several hundred of the inhabitants, of whom, but for that opportunity, numbers more would have perished. So, too, at the village of Menekaunne, the whole place, including the splendid new saw-mill of Jesse Spalding & Co., just built at a cost of $80,000, was swept clean in less than an hour, but being located on the shore of Green Bay, the inhabitants all escaped by taking to steam-tugs, sail-boats and other craft, and no lives were lost. Our informant, Mr. Harris, was at Menekaunne on the night of the fire. He visited Peshtigo after the fire, and subsequently the other burnt towns on both sides of Green Bay, and says that no pen can describe what he saw on that fatal night, nor can tongue tell of the sufferings of the hundreds who perished in the flames, or of the thousands who escaped. In going through the burnt towns back in the woods, and witnessing the wide-spread desolation, the wonder is that so many escaped alive, and many of those who did escape were saved by throwing dirt on each other to keep from burning.

Another reason for the great destruction of life and property in Wisconsin is found in the fact that no rain had fallen for three months before the 8th of October, the clearing and the woods, and even the swamps, were as dry as tinder, and the people had been fighting the fires in the woods for several weeks before, all that part of Wisconsin was full of fire and smoke, and when the tornado came upon them it swept all before it, traveling faster than the people, who were struck down while running for a place of safety. The intensity of the fire may be gathered from the statement made by Mr. Harris, that when he was at Peshtigo, after the fire, his attention was called to a mass of ashes at a spot where was the kitchen of the large boarding-house. It appears that before the flames reached that house numbers of people fled there for safety. It is said that the kitchen was full of people, and that an immense sheet of flame struck the house so suddenly that none are known to have escaped. All that remains is a pile of human ashes, from which can be picked out pieces of human bones, the largest not two inches long, and those split and broken. The villiage of Peshtigo, with its saw-mills, factories, hotels, churches, school-houses, stores, and fine residences, were all in flames in half an hour, and the whole is swept clean as a prairie.

As soon as daylight came on the Monday morning after the fire everything was done that could be done for the sufferers by the few surgeons living there, but to add to the anguish of the hour the telegraph-poles were burnt down, and they were sixty miles from Green Bay City, the nearest telegraph-station in operetion. The Lake Superior steamers not running a boat on Mondays, it was Tuesday forenoon before dispatches could be sent away for help. Mr. Harris sent dispatches by that boat to Gov. Fairchild and to the Mayors of the Cities of Green Bay, Oshkosh, Fond du Lac, and Milwaukee, calling for medical aid and supplies for the survivors, but the dispatches did not reach those gentlemen until Tuesday night, and it was Wednesday noon before the surgeons and nurses and supplies arrived, and it was near the end of the week before the outside world knew the extent of the calamity and the sufferings of the people of Wisconsin.

The great calamity at Chicago was known wherever the wires penetrated by the Monday night, while the fires were yet burning, and towns and cities and States vied with each other in forwarding instant relief of all kinds to the sufferers, while to Wisconsin's fearful and greater sacrifice of human life was superadded the loss of the telegraph—the loss of which prevented a large amount of relief being forwarded to Wisconsin so much needed by her suffering people. Large amounts of money were instantly raised for the relief of Chicago by benevolent and wealthy individuals, by corporations, and by cities, and legislatures, a portion of which would doubtless have been given to Wisconsin had her calamity in all its fearfulness been known earlier throughout the country. Chicago will need all that is being poured into her lap, but while this generosity is flowing in upon her, do not let the sufferings of Wisconsin be forgotten.

Gov. Fairchild has visited the burnt towns on Green Bay, and gathered up the facts of the condition of the sufferers, and says that all are now supplied with food and clothing, but that from 3,000 to 4,000 people will have to be housed and fed for the next six to nine months, until they can get back on their farms and raise the next year's crop. While the supply of food and clothing forwarded to Wisconsin has been generous and ample, the amount of cash funds in the hands of the Relief Committees will be wholly inadequate to meet the demands made upon them. Further contributions of money will be needed to feed these people, to rebuild their houses, and furnish them with farming tools, furniture, seed, and feed for the cattle saved from the flames, and looking to what has already been done for these suffering people by the outburst of American generosity, we have full faith that it will be as generously continued until the afflicted are able to help themselves.—*Washington Chronicle.*

Brigham Young has twenty nine wives.

Every Republican paper in Maine favors the renomination of General Grant.

New Bedford brags of a pointer that came to a dead stand the other day before a door plate inscribed "A. Patridge."

Mrs. Sarah J. Hale, who has written and edited for more than a generation, is still, in her 84th year, at work on *The Lady's Book*, upon which she has worked 44 years.

The Chicago Post has the following: "If Miss Eva Boston Nolan, a young lady who was born on Lincoln Park, on the night after the fire, will call at this office she will hear of something to her advantage. (New clothes from her Yankee namesake!)"

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A PROCLAMATION!!

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

All persons wishing to chat with a jovial Fellow, (not including ladies) call at the WEST END of Col. Jno. S. Burgess' store and there you will find

Nov. 30, 1871-3t. B. F. WHITE.

SHERIFF'S SALE IN DARE COUNTY.

I will sell at the Court House door on Roanoke Island, on Monday January 1st 1872, a tract of land situated in Nag's Head Township, Dare Country, belonging to the heirs of Tart Etheridge dec'd. There is a dwelling house and other buildings on the premises. To be sold for taxes. Terms Cash.

WM. C. BRINKLEY,
Nov. 30, 1871-4t. Sheriff.

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Thirsty or hungry, you must not go away, Remember, the door is ever open, night and day.

I beg leave to call the attention of the public to my well selected Stock of Wines, Liquors, and Ale. Having been in the business a long time, I am prepared to give satisfaction to my customers. Also the best Norfolk Oysters, by the Bushel, Gallon or plate, for man's internal requirements, and the best quality of Segars and Tobacco, to fit him to enjoy in delicious sensations, the two former necessaries.

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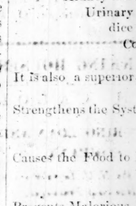

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2200 Gold and Silver Lever Hunting Watches (in all) worth from $20 to $300 each!

Ladies' Gold Leontine and Gents' Gold Vest Chains, Soled and Double-Plated Silver Table and Teaspoons, Photograph Albums, Jewelry, &c., &c., &c.

Number of Gifts 25,000. Tickets limited to 100,000.

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We have just perfected arrangements whereby we shall get all of our goods brought direct from the Northern cities on our own Vessels, making a large saving in freight which enables us to sell at greatly reduced prices.

NOW IS THE TIME TO MAKE YOUR INVESTMENTS IN DRY GOODS

12000 yds prints from 7c per yd up; 10,000 yds bleached & unbleached muslins from 7c. per yd up; 5,000 yds worsted dress goods from 20c. up; a large assortment of ginghams from 12½ cts., per yd up; a fine line of plain & fancy dress goods silks, silk poplins, empress cloth, alpaccas, &c. Also a complete stock of shawls, hoseries, gloves, handkerchiefs, knit goods, linens, and white goods. All at the lowest possible prices.

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The finest stock of Carpets and Oil Cloths to be found in the country.

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All kinds of Produce taken in exchange for goods for which the highest market price will be allowed.

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This stock has been selected with special care and is just suited to the wants of the people. Please call and examine for yourselves.

Oct. 26, 1871.

TO SOUTHERN CLAIMANTS.

Having been appointed Assistant Commissioner under the Act of Congress to examine and report on claims for Quarter Masters and Commissary Stores furnished by loyal men in the South to the Federal Army during the late war, I hereby give notice that I am prepared to receive applications from parties legally entitled to such claims.

In due time I will give public notice of the times and places of my visiting the several counties of Eastern North Carolina.

K. R. PENDLETON,
21—1f. P. O. Woodville N. C.

THE ELMWOOD PLANTANION

FOR RENT.

The large farm known as the "Elmwood plantation," late the property of James B. Sheppard dec'd, is offered for rent for the year 1872 Or it will be leased for a term of years. It is located on the Pasquotank River, in Pasquotank county, and about five miles from Elizabeth City.

For particulars address Busbee & Busbee, Raleigh N. C. One of the firm will be in Elizabeth City about the 30th inst., prepared to arrange terms &c.

FAB H. BUSBEE
Raleigh, N. C. 21—3t.

WARRANT IN BANKRUPTCY.

Estate of Peter S. Williams.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That on the 6th day of November A. D. 1871, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Peter S. Williams, of Hertford co., State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors petition, that the payment of any debts; and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to her or for her use, and the transier of any property by her are forbidden by law that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of her estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 2d day of Dec. A. D. 1871, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

S. T. CARROW, *U. S. Marshal,*
SJ. Z. PRATT, *Deputy, U. S. M. as Messenger.*
21—2t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District. }
In the matter of James Y. Savage a Bankrupt.—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by James Y. Savage, of Halifax county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of Dec 1871, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in intrest may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Edenton, N. C., on the 6th day of Nov., a. d., 1871.

22—3t. S. T. BOND, *Clerk.*

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
for the Albemarle District. }
In the matter of Geo. B. Fleetwood, a Bankrupt—*ss*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition has been filed in said court by Geo. B. Fleetwood, of Perquimans county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of Dec., 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of T. W. Coston, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

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Dress Goods, Dry Goods, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes,

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NORTH CAROLINIAN.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1871

☞ TO NORTHERN VISITORS.—☜ Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line Steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers, which run daily, excepting Sundays and Wednesdays.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisement in this iss.
R. F. White's Saloon.
W. C. Davis' Restaurant
Sheriff's sale in Dare county.

Local and Personal.

☞ The Wharf at the foot of Fearing Street is being rebuilt.

☞ We had a visit from Mayor HAUGHTON of Edenton. Call again.

☞ The NORTH CAROLINIAN is a *cash* office. It owes nobody and nobody *ought* to owe it.

☞ The Superior Court of Perquimans county is in session at Hertford this week.

☞ Several real estate sales in this locality have been made during the past week.

☞ Every business man should have a neatly printed letter head, and the CAROLINIAN office is the place to get it.

☞ Among the Northern arrivals since our last we notice GUIDO BUMEAUGH and C. W. CHURCHMAN from Middletown, Pa.

☞ The lengthy but very able communication of "Justice" will appear in due time.

☞ Our merchants have already all received their fall and winter stock. Always examine our advertising columns before purchasing.

☞ People who only advertise once in three months forget that most folks can't remember anything longer than about seven days.

☞ Hon. Judge BROOKS is absent at Raleigh holding the United States Circuit Court which began on Monday. We learn that Judge BOND will not be present, being engaged in holding Court elsewhere.

☞ Rev. S. S. LAMBETH has returned from Conference and will remain in charge of the Church at this place another year. Our people all welcome him back again.

☞ JOHN L. WOOD, Esq., Sheriff of this county, left for Raleigh on Monday, to settle with the State Treasurer. WM. C. BRINKLEY, Esq., Sheriff of Dare county, passed through here for the same purpose on Tuesday.

☞ The following is the list of Special Commissioners for North Carolina, authorized by the Southern Claims Commission, to take the testimony of claimants and their witnesses in cases not over $3,000 in amount: John Minor, Fayetteville; Joseph Dixon, Hookerton; Henry M. Pritchard, Charlotte; Elmore W. Wood, Chapel Hill; R. R. Pendleton Woodville.

☞ The following are the appointments made at the late Methodist Episcopal Conference for this the Murfresboro District for the ensuing year:

L. S. Reed, Presiding Elder.
Murfresboro—P. F. August.
Northampton—Jos. Lear.
Meherrin—B. F. Tennille.
Windsor—James W. Proctor, and R. I. Carson, supernumerary.
Harrellsville—J. H. Riddick.
Edenton—D. W. Daugherty.
Hertford—M. S. Colonna.
Pasquotank—T. L. Williams.
Elizabeth City—S. S. Lambeth.
Suffolk—Wm. G. Starr.
Chuckatuck—Jno. P. Woodward.
Gates—Wm. P. Wright.
Southampton—J. W. White.
President Wesleyan Female College—Paul Whitehead.
Agent Weslyan Female College—W. B. Bowzie.

☞ In another column we publish a Card from our friend Capt. W. A. HARNEY. Among his many other excellent qualities he must excuse us for noting that of *modesty*. Of course *he* don't aspire to the Presidency, but that he is admirably fitted, both by nature and experience, for the position cannot be denied. We do not say this in disparagement of the present incumbent, for he is a gentleman for whom we have a high regard. The Captain is correct, however, in stating that this is a matter legitimately confined to the Stockholders. And yet right here a question naturally suggests itself: As it is from the public, from "outsiders," *from "the people"* that the Company obtains its business and derives its revenue, haven't they a right to complain when they suffer? and ought it to be construed into an act of impertinence when they modestly suggest a remedy?

☞ We most cheerfully give the President of the Dismal Swamp Steam Transportation Company a hearing this week. His letter is courteous and to himself is no doubt satisfactory. We have no further interest in this matter than a desire to promote the public good. The "Thomas Jefferson" is a good Boat. When kept in repair it can always be made to make good time—reaching here not later than five o'clock P. M. With such a Boat, *daily each way*, making such time, the public would be satisfied. But with the other Boats, running irregularly and reaching here very often at eight, nine, ten and even so late as eleven o'clock at night, there *is* "cause for complaint." As to the price charged, it is cheap enough, and as to the fare on this line we can bear testimony that it is excellent. We know of no line that "feeds so well" and for so reasonable a charge. We are glad to learn from the President's letter that henceforth there will be more regularity.

☞ We give a part of the Governor's message this week. The balance will appear in our next issue. It is a document worthy the man and the occasion.

☞ H. S. LEE, Lecturer of the Grand Lodge A. Y. M. for this State, paid our town a visit this week. We had the pleasure of a call. He is now on a visit to Camden and Currituck.

☞ A reader desires to know what we meant in our "Local Port-Folio" week before last by referring to Insurance Companies as "risky concerns." We answer that we meant *just what we said*. Because they do take risks we patronize them. We pay three Companies for taking risks on our property in this and another State, and two other Companies for taking a risk on our life. Is a reader satisfied? If he is wise he will do as we have done.

☞ Col. JOHN S. BURGESS will accept our thanks for an old copy of the *Democratic Pioneer* published by L. D. STARKE in this place twenty one years ago. We are glad to get copies of these old papers. We keep them all on file in our office. Among the advertisers and other names in the paper we see a number who have departed to that "bourne from whence no traveller returns," and some who are still here, several occupying honorable official positions and others in active business life. What changes twenty-one years bring about!

☞ The Story on our first page is quite a readable one. It is from the pen of a lady not unknown to many of our readers. She will yet make her mark in the literary world. We copy it from the *Literary Companion*.

LOCAL PORT-FOLIO.

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Elizabeth City Prices Current.

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Bacon...Clear side ℔ lb	12
" Rib side	12
" Shoulder	10
" Hams, country	13 @ 14
" " sugar cured	16 @ 18
Butter—Country	25 @ 30
" N.Y. State	40 @ 45
Beeswax—℔ lb	25 @ 30
Beans...white Navy,	1.50
Corn—new, ℔ bu.	60
Cheese—℔ lb	20
Cotton yarn—℔ block	1.75
" in seed, ℔ lb.	4 @ 5
" in bale,	17
" in lint,	14c @ 15
Eggs—℔ doz.	25
Flour—Super. ℔ bb	6.50 @ 7.00
" Extra	7.00 @ 8.00
" Family	8.50 @ 9.50
Herring, ℔ bbl	2.00
Flaxseed—℔ bu	150 @ 155
Lard—℔ lb	16
Lumber—Heart pine ℔ 1000ft	18.00 @ 22.00
" Cypress "	18.00 @ 20.00
" Sap "	8.00 @ 10.00
" Lath "	2.50
Meal—℔ bu., 50 lbs	80
Oats, new—℔ bu.	50 @ 65
Peas—Black ℔ bu	60
Black Eyed Peas	1.00
Pork—Meat	19 @ 19
Potatoes—New ℔ bu.	62
" sweet ℔ bu.	100
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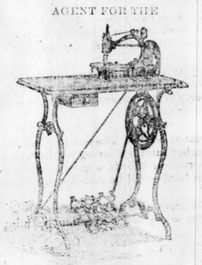

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State of North Carolina, Pasquotank County. } IN PROBATE COURT.

James W. Towe, Ex'er of Wm. Towe dec'd Pl't'ff

Against

Thos. O. Towe, Missouri Scaff, Susan Lister Riddick E. Franklin, Mary Ann Franklin, John Thomas Franklin, Penelope Hasket, dec'd children and rest of kin. Heirs at Law and next of kin of Wm. Towe, dec'd.

CAVEAT OF WILL.

The plaintiff James W. Towe, in the cause offered for probate, a paper writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Wm. Towe dec'd, and the defendant Thomas O. Towe, one of the heirs at law and next of kin of Wm. Towe, dec'd entered a caveat thereto—thereupon the cause was removed to the next regular Term of the Superior Court for said county for trial. And it appearing to the satisfaction of the Conrt that the other defendants are non-residents of this State. It is ordered that publication be made in the North Carolinian a Newspaper published in E. City, N. C, for six weeks notifying them to appear before the Judge of the next Superior Court to be held for said County on the 10th Monday after 1st Monday in October 1871, and show cause if any they can why said Will shall not be admitted to probate.

W. E. VAUGHAN
Probate Judge.

18-6t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy:

In the matter of M. T. Whitaker a Bankrupt —a.

NOTIE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by M. T. Whitaker, of Enfield and of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1871, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d day of Dec., 1871, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy in Elizabeth City, N. is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause if any they have why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

Dated at Edenton, N. C., on the 6th day of Nov, a. d., 1871.

20-3t. S. T. BOND, *Clerk*

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of T. J. Vaughan, a Bankrupt —a.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by T. J. Vaughan of Halifax county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2d day of Dec. 1871, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabath City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place.

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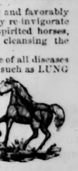

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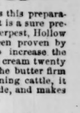

To keepers of Cows this preparation is invaluable. It is a sure preventive against Rinderpest, Hollow Horn, etc. It has been proven by actual experiment to increase the quantity of milk and cream twenty per cent. and make the butter firm and sweet. In fattening cattle, it gives them an appetite, loosens their hide, and makes them thrive much faster.

In all diseases of Swine, such as Coughs, Ulcers in the lungs, Liver, &c., this article acts like a charm. By putting from one-half a teaspoon to a paper in a barrel of swill the above diseases will be eradicated or entirely prevented. If given in time, a certain preventive and cure for the Hog Cholera.

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BALTIMORE, Md.

For sale by Druggists and Storekeepers throughout the United States, Canadas and South America.

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FIRST AND ONLY SOLUTION ever made in one mixture of ALL THE TWELVE valuable active principals of the well known curative agent,

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A recent cold in three to six hours; and also, by its VITALISING, PURIFYING and STIMULATING effects upon the general system, is remarkably efficacious in all

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For INHALATION, without application of HEAT. A remarkably VALUABLE discovery, as the whole apparatus can be carried in the vest pocket, ready at any time for the most effectual and positively curative use in

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Tar and Mandrake Pill.

for use in connection with the ELIXIR TAR, is a combination of the TWO most valuable ALTERATIVE Medicines known to the Profession, and renders this Pill without question the very best ever offered.

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TAR

is without doubt the most effectual remedy in the world for the following cases of

CHOLERA AND YELLOW FEVER.

It is a Specific for both diseases, and should be kept in the house and used freely during those two months.

CHOLERA AND YELLOW FEVER

are liable to prevail in this country, and daily will prove the fatality of these diseases.

Solution and Compound Elixir Tar
Volatile Solution of Tar
Tar and Mandrake Pills

Send for Circulars and Testimonials, and apply to your Druggists.

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FISHERIES.—

The undersigned invite early orders from their friends on the Sound, for such fishing gear, as will be required the season ensuing, as Shad gill nets, Seins, Rope, Corks, Rings, &c.

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For orders sent in soon, we import to order, in caves no less than 600 lbs, at a small commission, best quality Flax Shad Gillings, and will knit the same by machinery at a low price. Every variety fishing gear made to order.

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NOTICE.

A rare chance for Capitalists or Colonists seeking fertile land.

By consent of the parties concerned, I hereby offer for sale that productive farm and valuable tract of land in the County of Chowan, about 8 miles from Edenton, now occupied by John G. Small, Esq., containing 1200 or 1400 acres. This large body of land can be very easily subdivided so as to make four or five nice little farms, with good boundaries and convenient access to public highways. The said land is well known for its fertility, producing large yields of Corn, Cotton and other crops usually grown hereabouts.

A more particular description is deemed unnecessary, as parties wishing to buy are expected and requested to visit the premises and see for themselves. Any information will be cheerfully furnished by Mr. Small on the premises, or by the subscriber at Edenton.

Wm. E. BOND,
Trustee.

Edenton N. C.—22–4t.

S. Weisel

Corner Main

Western Railroad Company,	1,320,000
Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Railroad Company,	3,000,000
Williamston & Tarboro Railroad Company,	300,000
Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Railroad Company,	147,006
	$11,407,000
Accured interest,	1,475.670
	$12,772,670

Seventh: Bonds pronounced unconstitutional by Supreme Court, viz:

Bonds issied to Chatham Railroad Company, now outstanding,	$350,000
Penitentiary on Deep River,	100,000
	$450,000

SUMMARY OF DEBT.

The principal of the entire debt is	
The total amount of accrued interest thereon to, October ,1 1871, is	4,987,419 .5
Total amount of principal and interest is	$34,887,464 45

The only securities now by the State from which she derives any income, are the $300,000 stock in the North Carolina Rail Road Company, on which six per cent dividends, by a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States, for the District of North Carolina, have been subjected to the payment of interest due on the bonds of the State issued to pay for said stock.

Commenting on the foregoing list, I remark that the first class, consisting of the ante-war bonds, originally sold some over par, all averaging nearly par, the proceeds of which mainly built our railroads, seem to be of the highest dignity. The second class, although issued under acts passed before the war, it is notorious were sold at not more than fifty cents in specie, and not exceeding sixty-five or sixty-six cents in currency, when their depreciation was heavy. It is believed that many realized less than fifty cents in specie.

The bonds of the third class are also of undisputed validity. In fact, many were exchanged for old or ante war bonds which had become due, or for those which had become mutilated or scratched—the residue for coupons at par (without interest at maturity) which had become due mainly on the ante-war debt.

The fourth class the General Assembly has heretofore except to a small amount, refused to recognize; but it seems difficult to prove that they have not been validated in general terms by the ordinance of the Convention of 1865–'66, declaring all debts binding on the State when not incurred in aid of the rebellion. But it recognized they should be scaled according to the rate of depreciation at the date of issue, and of course they should not be recognized unless it shall be proved that their proceeds were applied to building our railroads.

The fifth class stand on the same footing as the second, but they were sold probably, at a lower average price.

The bonds of the sixth class were sold, nearly all of them, at ruinous rates—many bringing only from ten to thirty cents in currency; very many were sold under circumstances which ought to have put prudent men on their guard—sold in a reckless and gambling manner, so that it was plain to the most unwary, that the agent of the company to which they were issued was not acting with fidelity to the interests of his principals—issues many were disposed of after the General Assembly, by the act of January, 1870, give notice to the world that they had ordered the return of said bonds, and that future sales of them would be invalid—and lastly a large number according to a report made by a committee of the House of Representatives, were issued without the certificate required by law.

The seventh class, I am of opinion the State cannot recognize, but if she owns any property, purchased with the proceeds of the bonds, such might be surrendered to *bona fide* purchasers of said bonds before their constitutionality was questioned—further than this in my opinion the General Assembly cannot go.

In considering the important and most difficult problem of the public debt, the following questions present themselves.

1st. What is the actual amount for which the State in equity and good conscience is liable?

2nd. This amount being ascertained, are the people of the State *able* to pay the annual interest on the same, regularly and promptly?

3d. If theoretically *able*, are they in their present condition of poverty and depression, *willing* to submit to the sacrifices required?

4th. Supposing that the people are either not *able* or not *willing* to pay the interest on the public debt for which they are justly liable, what shall be done? Shall we do nothing, or endeavor to effect an honorable settlement with the public creditor?

With regard to the first question as to the actual amount for which the State is justly liable; in my judgment this cannot be ascertained without investigation by able financiers and business men—men trained to weigh evidence, and of discernment sufficient to detect fraud.

As to the second question; I remark that the report of the auditor shows that the people of the State are in such a state of depression that the total valuation of real and pesonal property will not exceed $121,000,000,00. The immense natural resources of the State are admitted, and if properly developed, the taxation necessary to pay the interest, on a much larger debt would be a light burden. The low valuation above stated shows that the annual profits from this property is small. To pay this interest and support the State and county governments, as well as to provide for the education of our children, to say nothing of the payment of old debts owing by counties and towns, which in many instances is being enforced by the courts, will be such a large per centage of the income of our people, that, reluctantly to conclude, that they cannot bear the necessary taxation without being deprived of their property, and in some cases of even the necessaries of life.

If I am correct in supposing that the people cannot now shoulder this taxation, it is unnecessary to inquire into the third question, as to their *willingness* to do so. Our people are generally honest Repudiation *directly* is far from their thoughts. Any such action will be in the last degree painful and revolting to them. Their evident unwillingness at this time, arises from their belief that they are *unable* to pay. Whether right or wrong in this opinion. they are honestly determined, I think, on this question. If I am correct in judging the public mind, then the public creditor has no means of enforcing the satisfaction of his debt by law. The State cannot be sued by him; put even if it were otherwise, all legal process against large communities unanimons in resisting, would be vain. The experience of creditors of single counties in the North west and elsewhere, shows that it is difficult and costly to recover satisfaction out of a *single* couny in a State. If *all the counties* are in the same mind, and threatened

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DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE.

OF VALUABLE

NORTH CAROLINA LANDS,

FOR SALE BY

GEORGE D. POOL.

Real Estate Agent,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

In presenting my list of lands and other properties for sale, I would say that no section of the United States offers such inducements for capitalists and emigrants, as this section of North Carolina. In longevity and healthfulness, it will compare favorably with any where; and in easy and cheap transportation of products to market, in pleasantness of climate, in the sociability of the people, in great fertility, and durability of soil, no section can equal it.

A railroad will soon be built to Weldon, putting this place in direct communication by Rail, with the whole United States. This, together with our great fishing. farming and manufacturing interests, and certain early completion of already projected works of improvement for putting in nearer, cheaper and easier communication with the Ocean, will render this one of the most important commercial, and manufacturing points on the Southern country.

A Steam Saw and Grist Mill in the town of Nixonton 8 miles from E. City. This Mill has a fine wharf and store attached on deep navigable water, the engine is 40 horse power, and all in good order. It is one of the finest locations to be found any where for custom work, and for getting good saw logs easily and cheaply. Price $4,000 cash.

Adjoining the mill property is 40 acres of fine land on the River, with three houses, all for $1200. Near the same is a good two story dwelling and 13 acres of land for $2,000, and a good one story dwelling, with one acre of land for $300.

Also two fine farms in Pasquotauk county, 10 miles from E. City, within half mile of church, school house and post office. One tract contains about 400 acres, with fair buildings and mostly cleared, and the other contains 300 acres, with good two story dwelling, large barn, and other outhouses, both are offered at $20 per acre, one third cash, balance in one and two years.

Also one other tract in Pasquotank county, containing 116 acres, within one mile of the town with fine buildings, mostly cleared and in cultivation. Price $25 per acre, one half cash, balance in 12 months.

A valuable site for a hotel at Nag's Head, 40 miles from Elizabeth City, and 50 miles from Edenton. This is situated immediately on the Ocean, and is a famous Summer resort for invalids, and those seeking health, comfort, and amusements during the summer months. It is in direct communication by steamboats and railroad with all parts of North Carolina, Virginia, and the North; and is equal in natural advantages to Newport, or Cape May. Visitors flock to this famous summer resort by hundreds and thousands, and a large amount of money can be made by a hotel. A charter has been obtained from the Legislature of N. C., for a joint stock company to build the hotel. There is now an old hotel on the spot, which could be cheaply repaired and bought for $3.000. This hotel, though imperfectly kept, cleared the proprietor last season, over $3.000. For a man or a company, having some capital, this is one of the finest chances to make money at hotel keeping to be found anywhere. The early attention of the public is invited to this property.

A fine steam saw and grist mill at Hertford, the county seat of Perquimans County, N. C., 18 miles from Elizabeth City. This mill has a fifty horse power engine, now in good running, two pairs of best French burr stones, and two upright saws. The house has a brick basement, and the building is large and in good order. There is one and a half acres of land belonging to this property, and a good two story dwelling, and other out-houses. The section of country adjacent abounds in the finest yellow pine, cypress, ash, poplar, and other valuable timber. This property originally cost $15,000, and is now offered at forced sale for the low price of $3,500, $7.00, cash, and the balance in six equal instalments, six months apart each with interest.

A fine farm and fishery in same county. The farm contains 400 acres of the finest land, lies immediately on Albemarle Sound where the water is 12 miles wide, and 18 to 20 feet deep, has got buildings, and fine neighborhood. The fishery is on the farm and goes with it. It has a new seine 2,500 yards long, and all the necessary boats, buildings, &c., (which cost over $15,000 two years ago.) The fishery alone, of a good season, will make from 5 to $10,000 profit to the owner. This property is offered at forced sale for the low price of $20,000, $7,000 cash, balance on easy times.

A store at South Mills, in Camden county, 20 miles from E. City, and 20 miles from Norfolk, lying on the canal where steamers pass daily. A fine chance for merchandize. Store is large with dwelling above containing six rooms, is in first rate order, has office, kitchen, dairy, and other necessary outhouses. Goods to the amt. of $50,000 per annum can be sold here, and at large profits. A splended stand for a country retail store. Price $2,500—one third cash, balance in one and two years.

A valuable tract of land in Camden county, at South Mills, on the Dismal Swamp Canal, lying on the canal for two miles, containing over 900 acres of land—two-thirds cleared, and in a fine state of cultivation, with good buildings, &c.; balance in valuable timber. Price $12,000, one-third cash, balance in one and two years, interest from January, 1871. This is a valuable farm for corn, wheat, and vegetables and being midway between Elizabeth City and Norfolk, and located where steamers pass by the door daily, is a desirable and cheap property.

A fine farm of 600 acres within six miles of E. City, one mile from navigable water, and the best cotton farm in the State. It is also well adapted to raising corn and wheat. This farm has a splended two-story dwelling upon it, large barn, 40 by 60 feet, a large number of outhouses, by splended trees and shrubbery, is in a strong Union neighborhood, and altogether the most desirable place in the county. A little over one-half of this land is cleared, and the balance is covered with the finest yellow pine, poplar, ash and other timber. Price $30 per acre—one-third cash, balance in one and two years with interest. Title reserved.

Sixteen houses and lots in Elizabeth City, with good dwellings, out-houses, &c. Prices and terms reasonable.

A valuable farm in Perquimans county, N. C. near navigable water. Has a fine dwelling-house with ten rooms, in splended order, with splended barns and stables—all in first rate order. The farm is very productive in corn, oats, wheat, cotton and clover. It is one of the finest farms in the State and is now in good cultivation, contains 585 acres of land, about three-fourths cleared and under cultivation. Price $10,000, one-third cash January 1, next, balance in two equal annual instalments with interest at the rate of six per cent.

A farm of 370 acres 8 miles from town by water, and 12 miles by land, is offered for sale for $10,000 in easy payments. This tract of land lies immediately on the River which is 4 miles wide and washes the farm its whole length on one side, and a branch of the River one mile wide, binds it on one end. The land is well adapted to raising corn, wheat, cotton, oats, peas, &c., lies high and dry, and is susceptible of the highest improvement. Fronting and looking over, as it does, two large sheets of navigable water, where steamers and sailing vessels are constantly passing, carrying freight and passengers to all parts of the country, its location and surroundings, are of the most fascinating and desirable character. There is a fishery on it ready for working a seine 2,500 yards long, and which commands a portion of both streams of water, and can be made immensely profitable. The price charged is low, and the purchase a very desirable one. The buildings consist of a good two-story dwelling and out-houses.

A tract of valuable land, containing 356 acres, with one two story dwelling containing 9 rooms and cook-room. Servant's house with 3 rooms, large barns and stables, all necessary and convenient out-houses, 3 tenant-houses near town, and immediately on the River. About 100 acres of this land is in fine wood and timber, balance in a fine state of cultivation. It has 8,000 grape vines one year old, 3,500 peach, apple and dwarf pear trees, five acres in strawberries which yielded an immence profit this year, ten acres in Lawton and other rare varieties of black-berries, 15 to 20,000 young peach trees with other choice fruits too numerous to mention. This farm has a public road on one side, and the River on the other, where strangers come daily to the landings to receive the fruits and vegetables, and carry them down to Norfolk, Baltimore, Phila., or New York. The land is finely adapted to raising corn, wheat, cotton, oats, and all other field crops.

The owner of this farm offers to sell in tracts, to suit purchasers, say in 50 to 100 acre tracts, and at prices ranging from 35 to $80 per acre, according to location, buildings, &c.

There is also on this farm a fine fishery, where a seine 1,000 yards long, and 20 feet deep is hauled every Spring. Herring, Shad, Rockfish, Sturgeon and other valuable fish, are caught by thousands at every draw of the seine. And the profits are frequently large. This fishery of itself is worth nearly as much as is charged for the whole property. The terms will be liberal. This is probably the finest opportunity offered any where for a profitable investment.

☞ Fishery has an office, and two houses for hands besides fish house. Then some 500 to 1,000 loads of best fish manure on hand, besides over 5,000 loads of compost made ready for use. This goes with the farm.

A desirable house and lot in the town of Elizabeth City on the corner of two principal streets, the principal one, and situated in the best business locality in the town. The lot contains about two acres of land, and the buildings consist of a fair dwelling three stories high, containing eight rooms, all in good order, another two story building with four rooms and pantries, dairy, smokehouses, stables, &c. The dwelling has a good cellar under it. There is room on the front lot to erect two good stores, and they would occupy the best stand in the town for merchandize.

For further particulars, enquire of

GEO. D. POOL,
Agent.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Mar. 9, 1871.

TO SPORTSMEN.—

The subscriber would announce to his friends and the public that he continues at the old stand on Road street and keeps on hand a good assortment of Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Sporting apparatus and fine cutlery, He may at all times be found either in his store prepared to accommodate customers with New Goods, or in his shop adjoining, willing and happy to repair any article in his line of business.

20—1v. GEO. W. BELL.

HAVING SECURED THE SERVICES OF THE best mechanics in each of the departments, and giving my own particular attention to all work done at my shop, feel safe in saying that my work will compare

favorably with that of any of the large cities. All I ask is an examination of my work to convince those in want of any kind of a vehicle that this is the place to buy them.

Repairing done at short notice and at reasonable rates. Give me a call.

JNO. S. WAUGH.

Elizabath City, Nov. 25, 1869.-tf.

PERMANENT DAILY LINE.

DISMAL SWAMP STEAM TRANS., CO.

Norfolk and Elizabeth City, U. S. Mail Line.

The Company will after this date run a permanently Daily Boat between Norfolk, Va. and Elizabeth City, N. C. Leaving the Company's Wharf at E. City every morning—(Sun. & Tues. Excepted,) at 6 o'clock, A. M. Leaving Hardy & Sons Wharf, Norfolk, every morning immediately after the arrival of Baltimore Boats. Sundays and Wednesdays excepted Stopping at Portsmouth.

Freight for intermediate landings must be prepaid.

For further information, apply at the office of Company, Hardy's Wharf, (formerly Willis) Norfolk, Va., or at Company Wharf, E. City, N. C.

Steamer, Thos. Jefferson, Conklin, Com.
" Elizabeth City, Murden, "
" Geo. Washington, Langley "

W. A. HARNEY, Agent.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., March 9th, 1871.

FOR RENT.—

A good single story House with three good rooms below, with an acre lot, and all necessary out buildings attached, a good well of water and a good garden. Price Fifty Dollars a year.

Also a good Store and Ware House and about fifteen acres attached. Price reasonable. Both these properties are located in Nixonton, about eight miles from Elizabeth City and on a good navigable stream, known as Little River.

For particulars or further information apply to the undersigned at the Elizabeth City Post Office.

13-tf. WM. A. PRICE

THOMAS PARR

CABINET MAKER AND UNDERTAKER,

most respectfully informs his customers, friends and the public generally, that he has removed to *E. City, N. C.* and conenced his old business as Cabinet maker and Undertaker.

He is now prepared to furnish *Metalic* and wood coffins of the latest improved kind and best quality, as cheap as they can be purchased in this market.

His *Hearse*, will be ready at all times to serve his customers at any distance within thirty miles, upon the same terms and same prices as within this immediate vicinity.

He is prepared to repair furniture of every kind and quality, and furnish new furniture on as reasonable terms as any one in this section. It will be to the interest of those who may desire any article in his line of business to give him a call at his ware-room on Road Street near C. B. Brother's Livery Stables.

E. City, N. C. July 20, 1871.

JUNIPER POSTS!

The subscriber is prepared to furnish Juniper Posts of all sizes. Will be delivered if desired. F. M. MORGAN, M. D.

ELIZABETH CITY, June 29 1871.—tf.

SAVANNAH, Ga. LIPPMAN'S THE FINEST TONIC IN THE WORLD! GREAT GERMAN BITTERS. 71 NEW ST. New York.

THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER.

Possessing powerful invigorating

PROPERTIES & A PLEASANT DRINK.

These Bitters are positively invaluable in

ALL SKIN DISEASES & ERUPTIONS.

They purify the system, and will cure

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Remittent and Intermittent Fevers,

NERVOUS DISEASES, LIVER COMPLAINT

and are a preventive of Chills and Fever.

DISEASES OF THE KIDNEY & BLADDER

All yield to their powerful efficacy.

ARE GOOD FOR THE MENTAL ORGANIZATION.

Are an antidote to change of Water and Diet.

THEY WILL RESTORE YOUTHFUL VIGOR

to the wasted frame, and correct all

IRREGULARITY OF THE BOWELS.

Will save days of suffering to the sick, and

CURES NEVER WELL PEOPLE

The grand Panacea for all the ills of life.

TRY ONE BOTTLE

The Standard BITTERS OF GERMANY FOR FEMALE COMPLAINTS In Young or Old, Married or Single, these Bitters are unequalled and have often been the means of saving life. PHYSICIANS THERE, PRESCRIBE IT. IN THEIR PRACTICE.

TRY ONE BOTTLE.

SOUTHERN CLAIMS

AGAINST

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

Loyal citizens of North Carolina and other Southern States, will be pleased to learn that Congress at the last session passed a law for a commission to be appointed to examine and report on all claims that may be presented to them for Quartermaster and Commissary stores furnished the Federal Army during the late war.

The undersigned are prepared to furnish blanks, and give all information to those having claims—and to prosecutel the same to final settlement. Having received the endorsement for ability, &c., from the Hon. Senators Messrs. Pool and Abbott and the Representatives from North Carolina—we bleieve that we can give satisfaction to all who entrust their claims to us.

McLELLAND & BENEDICT,

Attorneys and solicitors of Claims and Patents

405 North Street Washington, D. C.

14-tf.

LAND AND LUMBER COMPANY'S COLUMN.

LAND AND LUMBER COMPANY

OF

NORTH CAROLINA.

Incorporated by the Legislature of North Carolina, December 17, 1868.

CAPITAL STOCK - - - - $300,000,00.

General Office: Elizabeth City, N. C.

OFFICERS

J. M. WEED, President. C. W. SMITH, Treasurer.

C. H. ROBINSON, Secretary.

DIRECTORS

J. M. WEED, WM. UNDERWOOD, CHARLES W. SMITH, N. R. ZIMMERMAN AND G. B. THOMPSON.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE LAND AND LUMBER COMPANY having a large amount of Real Estate of their own to dispose of, and their business having increased to such an extent, they think it prudent to decline acting further as Commission Agents for the sale of lands belonging to others. They will however be glad at all times to furnish every facility to parties coming to Elizabeth City with a desire to look at the country and make purchases if they find it to their interest to do so.

The following list of property, owned by the Company, is offered for sale on the most reasonable terms. Their object now is to acquire a larger monied capital for the purpose of further developing their unimproved lands and carrying out their original design of increasing the Commerce and General Trade of Elizabeth City.

As there are others in the Commission Business, parties are referred to their advertisement for further information.

ELIZABETH CITY.

The following desirable list of Properties in Elizabeth City are offered at very reduced prices for cash or on time payments at rates which make any of them excellent investments for capitalists. We feel confident that this City is destined to become a large place and property will advance rapidly. Emigration is now tending Southernward and the feeling is in universal favor toward Elizabeth City.

A large two-story dwelling known as the Parsonage, with fine double Piazza, front and back, large out kitchen, stables, carriage house, with 17 acres of ground well enclosed. This ground is all within the corporation of the City, and is well situated to lay out in building lots and make out of it ten fold the price asked for it.

A two-story dwelling containing ten rooms, 10,000 gallon cistern and all necessary out-houses, with large lot. Situated on Main Street. A Vacant Lot no better located and not so large as this was sold recently for $1600 cash.

A large brick store house and wharf situate on Water street; in E. City, comprising three lots with 400 feet of water front permanently wharfed for the accommodation of large vessels. There is erected on these lots a large two-story brick building, 50 by 80 feet, well fitted up for a wholesale or retail trade at present occupied by the "Yankee Store."

A large wood store on west side of Water street 36 by 60, two stories high, being one of the best stands on Water street for merchandizing.

A House and Lot on Riverside Avenue. House 20ft front by 50 ft deep. Containing eight rooms with Pantry and Cellar, all well finished. modern style, and having all necessary out buildings. The lot contains a front of 400 ft, and would be a good location for a large shop or foundry as one whole side fronts on the water.

Also a large number of Wharf Lots, Mill Lots and Vacant Lots at very low prices, some of which are enumerated below. The Wharf Lots are 200ft deep and will be sold to any size desired along the River. Among them are some most eligible situations for Store Houses, Mills and Manufactories of any kind as there is a fine harbor immediately in front of them, having 30ft of water, sufficient for vessels of any capacity. Along Pennsylvania Avenue are offered some of the finest and choicest lots, for dwellings in town at prices varying according to location. This will be the finest street in town, is 80 feet wide, size of Lot 100ft front by 200ft deep. There are now a number of first class residences being erected on this street. Immediately in the vicinity of these Lots the Company have erected a large Planing Mill, Sash, Blind and Door Factory at a cost of near $20,000 and also their Saw Mill at a cost of near $15,000. That now is the proper time to invest in those Lots there can be no doubt, as they will double in value in a very short time. Lots not near so good as these, are now selling in other parts of the City at more than double the price asked for these.

VACANT LOTS.

Lots Nos. 150, 155, 158, 161, 163, 165, 167, 170. 172. 175, 178, 180, 182. 185, 187. 190 193, 195, 198 and 200, situate on Pennsylvania avenue, in the new extension of Elizabeth City, all choice lots, intended for the better class of residences. Size of lots 100 feet front by 200 feet deep. Price varying, according to location, from $100 to $1000.

TOWN LOTS.

Lots Nos. 250, 253, 255, 256, 258, 261, 263, 266, 267, 268, 271, 283, 285. 287, 288, 289, 291, 296, 299 and 300, situated on various Streets in the new extension of Elizabeth City, size of lots 50 feet front by 100 feet deep, at prices varying from $25 to $100.

MILL LOTS.

Four Mill-Lots situated on Knobb's Creek, so that logs can be taken from the creek to the mill. These lots have 200 feet each of water front, and over 600 feet deep to Mill street, and are choice sites. The purchaser will also have the right of storage for logs in the boom.

PASQUOTANK COUNTY.

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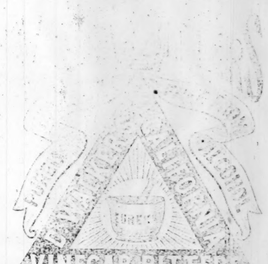

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